SUMMARY OF FINAL DECISIONS ISSUED BY THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD March 17-21, 1997

Date	Type of	Proceeding	Party or	TTAB	Issue	TTAB	Opposer's or Petitioner's	Applicant's or Respondent's	Mark and Goods Cited	Examining	Citable as
Issued	Case(1)	or Appn. No.	Parties	Panel(2)		Decision	Mark and Goods or Services	Mark and Goods or Services	by Examining Attorney	Attorney	Precedent of TTAB
3-18	OPP	92,144	La Galvanina, S.P.A. v. Societe Des Eaux Azula, S. A.	Rice* Cissel Walters	2(d)	Opposition Sustained	"GALVANINA" [drinking water, namely, mineral water and water charged with gas; soft drinks; orangeades; lemonades; tonic water; and non-alcoholic soft aperitifs]	"SOURCE GALVAN" [carbonated and non- carbonated drinking water, natural spring water, carbonated and non- carbonated drinking water with natural flavors, and tonic water]			No
3-18	EX	74/492,827	Recorded Books, Inc.	Sams Simms Quinn*	genericness; distinctivenes s under Sec. 2(f)	Refusal Affirmed		"RECORDED BOOKS" [pre-recorded audio tape cassettes featuring literary works]		Le	Yes
3-19	EX	74/330,908	Reilor Holdings Ltd.	Simms Hanak Walters*	de jure functionality; distinctivenes s under Sec. 2(f)	Refusal Affirmed (but only on basis of lack of 2(f) distinctive- ness; configura- tion found not de jure functional)		configuration of an automatic door closer [surface-mount spring- loaded automatic door closer]		Matthews	No
3-19	EX	74/163,353	Kung Hsue She, Inc.	Simms Hanak Hohein*	genericness [doctrine of foreign equivalents]; Sec. 2(f) distinctivenes s	Refusal Affirmed		"MONTAÑA" [bicycles]		C. Butler	No

⁽¹⁾ EX=Ex Parte Appeal; OPP=Opposition; CANC=Cancellation; CU=Concurrent Use; (SJ)=Summary Judgment; (R)=Request for Reconsideration

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